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Subject: (E13611) Exxon Pipeline Mayflower oil spill - update
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21 homes continue to be evacuated.

Exxon replaced the damaged section of pipe yesterday. Several news media outlets covered the event

Exxon has continues buyout discussion with homeowners. EPA is not involved in those discussions.

EPA performed no air monitoring for re-entry yesterday; no air monitoring for re-entry is scheduled for today

A press conference is scheduled for tomorrow for unified command to update response progress

OSC Rhotenberry transitioned with OSC Brescia in Unified Command.

CIC Walters is on scene. PIO Durant is scheduled to be on scene today.

EPA personnel walked several areas along the creek that are close to sign-off for the response phase by unified command

EPA, ADH, and Exxon's contractor met yesterday to develop procedures for air sampling of houses as part of the re-entry process. Air sampling will only be conducted in houses that were evacuated. Air sampling would be conducted once a resident indicates that they are ready re occupy the house.

Approximately 29,018 bbl oil/water mixture has been collected to date

Approximately 507 total personnel on site